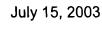
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- 1. Application- 35 pages, including 4 independent claims and 20 claims total.
- 2. Drawings- 10 sheets of drawings containing 17 figures.
- 3. Certified Copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 2002-205819, filed July 15, 2002.
- 4. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with documents attached.
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